(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether a suitable plot of land has already been acquired in Gurgaon for constructing a spacious CGHS Dispensary to cater to the increasing number of beneficiaries;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) by when the construction is likely to be taken up the completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (c) In view of the large number of CGHS beneficiaries in Gurgaon, a more spacious building at New Railway Road, Gurgaon has been identified by the CGHS Dte. for taking on lease/rent so as to relocate the present dispensary.

(d) to (f) A plot of land measuring 0.75 acre has been purchased from HUDA in Sec. 3-5, Part-6, Gurgaon. The building plans have been approved and CPWD has submitted the preliminary estimate for construction of dispensary building. However, no time frame can be indicated at present for completion of the building as it involves obtaining the required administrative approvals, availability of resources, clearance from various civic agencies, etc.

Psychiatric care in the country

589. SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people who sought psychiatric care during the last five years, year-wise;

(b) the per-capita practicing psychiatrists in the country as at present alongwith patient-psychiatrist ratio during the relevant period;

(c) the number of mental hospitals under the Central and State Governments in the country togetherwith details of patients admitted for treatment therein, year-wise since 2000-01 and the number of qualified psychiatrists engaged, hospital-wise;

(d) the number of faculty in psychiatry departments in medical colleges as in 2000-01 and presently;

(e) whether colleges/hospitals are witnessing exodus of psychiatrists of late;

(f) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(g) the steps taken for reversal of this trend?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (d) The data relating to the number of people seeking psychiatric care; number of patients admitted for treatment; and the number of faculty in psychiatry departments in medical colleges are not centrally maintained.

The per-capita practicing psychiatrists works out to 1 Psychiatrist per 4,50,000 population, approximately, as assessed during the mental health resources survey carried out in May 2002.

There are 37 government mental hospitals in the country as per Statement (See below).

(e) to (g) Over the past few years there has been an increase in the number of psychiatrists seeking employment in advanced countries like USA, UK & Australia owing to the demand of such specialists in these countries, owing to improvement in one's prospects, professional, academic and financial considerations which happens world-wide.

The Government is upgrading psychiatric wards of Government Medical Colleges so as to enable them to start Post-Graduate Courses.

Statement

List of Government Mental Hospitals with bed Strength

Andhra Pradesh	
Govt. Hospital for Mental Care, Hyderabad	-600
Govt Hospital for Mental Care, Vishakhapatnam	-300
Assam	
LGB Regional Institute of Mental Health, Tejpur	-500
Delhi	
Institute of Human Behaviour & Allied Sciences, Dilshad	-400
Goa	
Institute of Psychiatry and Human Behaviour, Goa	-278
Gujarat	
Hospital for Mental Health, Ahmedabad	-317
Hospital for Mental Health, Vadodara	-300
Hospital for Mental Health, Jamnagar	-50
Hospital for Mental Health, Bhuj	-16

Jammu & Kashmir	
Govt. Hospital for Psychiatric Diseases, GMC, Jammu	-100
Govt. Psychiatric Disease Hospital, Srinagar	
Jharkhand	
Central Institute of Psychiatry, Ranchi	-643
Ranchi Instt. of Neuro Psychiatry & Allied Sciences, Ranchi	-600
Karnataka	
Karnataka Institute of Mental Health, Dharwad	-375
National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences,	-650
Kerala	
Mental Health Centre, Kozhicode	-474
Mental Health Centre, Thrissur	-361
Mental Health Centre, Thiruvananthapuram	-463
Madhya Pradesh	
Mental Hospital. Indore	-155
Gwalior Mansik Arogayashala, Gwalior	-212
Maharashtra	
Regional Mental Hospital, Thane	-1880
Regional Mental Hospital, Nagpur	-910
Regional Mental Hospital, Yervada, Pune	-2540
Regional Mental Hospital, Ratnagiri	-365
Nagaland	
Mental Hospital, Kohima	-25
Punjab	
Dr. Vidya Sagar Institute of Mental Health, Amritsar	-850
Rajasthan	
Psychiatric Centre, Jaipur	-180
Tamil Nadu	
Institute of Mental Health, Chennai	-1800
Uttar Pradesh	
Institute of Mental Health Hospital, Agra	-718
Mental Hospital, Varanasi	-331
Mental Hospital, Bareilly	-408
West Bengal	
Lumbini Park Mental Hospital, Calcutta	-200
Calcutta Pavlov Hospital, Calcutta	-250
Institute of Psychiatry, Calcutta	-36
Mental Hospital, Mankundu, Hooghly	-180
Institute for Mental Care, Purulia	-80
Mental Hospital, Berhampore, Murshidabad	-230